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Sometimes the lights all
shinin' on me
other times I can
barely see

VOICE

Lately it occurs to me...
what a long, strange
trip it's been
-- The Dead

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The Reverend William Morrison will serve as interim pastor for Westminster Church.

Parolees Stage 'Cage'

Lowry Center Board presents the third part of the new 99¢ series. *THE CAGE*, revolutionary theatre direct from San Quentin, will be performed in McGaw Chapel at 8 pm on Thursday, February 17th. The eighty minute performance is followed by a dramatic confrontation in which the actors engage the audience on topics ranging from "... why I went to prison" to "what you can do to help

keep the next man from going ..."

THE CAGE, was written by Rick Cluchey while he was serving a life sentence without possibility of parole for robbery-kidnapping. The drama is allegorical. It vividly depicts aspects of prison life not usually dramatized—the importance of "reference groups" and the dozen game: bizzare prison humor; the intricacies of prison homosexuality and related violence;

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Campus Council SECTION BRINGS PANTHER SPEAKER

Campus Council appropriated \$200 for First Section to bring a movie and speaker on the Fred Hampton killing. The Section raised another \$200 and received \$300 from the Human Relations Commission (HRC).

Hampton, a member of the Black Panther Party, was shot in his home by Chicago police in 1970. Of the \$700 total, \$650 will be used to pay the speaker. The speaker was with Hampton when he was shot. The remainder will pay for a film entitled "The Murder of Fred Hampton." John Browder, representing First Section, said.

Doris Coster reminded Council at Tuesday's session that they had agreed to a March 1 deadline to recommend changes in the VOICE charter to President Drushal.

Council Chairman Glenn Bucher told the Publications Subcommittee that they ought to have three charter options on paper by Feb. 15. Jim Turner, chairman of the Subcommittee, mentioned three general possibilities. One, the VOICE could incorporate; two, Council could make a few revisions in the Publications Committee Charter regarding the VOICE; three, they could recommend the present VOICE charter.

Henry Copeland's motion was approved to appropriate up to \$75 and authorize a Council member to talk to an attorney regarding charters for the possible incorporation of VOICE.

Susan Baker asked how the VOICE felt about the idea of incorporation. Peter Havholm faculty advisor to the INDEX and member of the Publications Committee, said that at the last meeting he received the impression from VOICE Editor Nate Speights that there were no specific objections to incorporation. He added that Speights would probably not make a decision until presented with a model charter for incorporation. Jim Turner agreed with Havholm's assessment of VOICE feelings.

Henry Copeland mentioned that the College had, on occasion, been threatened with law suits because of material published in the VOICE.

Before approving the \$200 fund request from First Section, Jim Turner asked Browder if he knew anything of the Speaker's background. Browder replied that he knew little and conceded that he was "slightly relying" on the word of the agency.

Copeland asked if it was necessary to arrange for this speaker through an agency. He noted that they generally charge one-third to one-half above the speaker's fee. Browder said that some speakers will only come through agencies.

Kate House approached Council with a \$120 request to pay Dennis Gibson of the Psychology Department for conducting sensitivity sessions with Kate House members. The money was to be "plowed back into" programs.

Jim Hyman's motion directing Kate House to the Human Relations Commission first

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Media Class Planned

Lowry Center Board announces the first (organizational) meeting of the Journalism Colloquium on Monday, February 7, 1972, at 7:30 p.m. in Faculty Lounge. Mr. Victor Dix, assistant Editor, Daily Record, has volunteered to discuss with interested students the possibility of LCB-sponsored, informal instruction in aspects of journalism.

Those attending the first meeting will discuss the direction such instruction should take. Mr. Dix has suggested the following topics

as possibilities:

- Good writing; how to prepare for a newspaper position
- Reporting; objective or subjective
- The Press; information or entertainment
- The importance of community coverage
- Wire services and supporting services
- The role of advertising
- The first amendment and the mass media
- Secrecy in government; background briefings.
- Class limit: 25. Sign up in Hal Closson's office.

CLOSING THE GAP

by Chuc
"Think of the ugliest part of your body. The physical place or thing you dislike the most..."
"...now think of the portion of your body you believe most beautiful"

"...Fantasize a dialectic between those two parts. Imagine what they would say to each other."

The bearded man, wearing grey chinos, spoke slowly and clearly into his microphone to all us one way ticket holders at his "blessed" workshop. He had been introduced as Tom Driver and somewhat later revealed his age to be forty-six. Sixteen years past the dividing line, or as Ms. Mead would have it, generation gap.

Tom Driver recognizes the existence of the gap and came to Wooster armed with selected precepts of the "counter culture" to do something about it. What he "did" (and what we as participants also "did") consisted of sensitivity exercises, self-examination and dialogue, composition a 3 hour attempt at understanding our human conditions.

"Keep your eyes closed and concentrate on the hand you're holding. Get to know that per-

son's right hand only by using your right hand. What kind of hand is it? Soft? Small? Old? ..."

As we opened and closed our eyes, jockeying between the "in" and "out", making ourselves aware of the people, places and things around us, sharing our differences and indifference, one began to believe that something more than the temperature of the room was being raised - consciousness perhaps.

We gathered together in groups of eight, lying on our backs, eyes closed (our heads forming the centre of something resembling a human daisy), discussing our idea(s) of a perfect community. During the (coffee) break that followed this discussion Penelope told me her group couldn't decide for or against monogamous marriage. Ours, I informed her, couldn't decide on marriage!

During the concluding half hour we described our reactions to what had "happened." Some were quick to point out that their need to repress certain desires bore a direct relationship to American society where our preoccupation with structure has alienated us from a sense of ourselves.

One criticism of Mr. Driver intrigued me. It was called to his/our attention that for all his bad mouthing people who tried to manage others' lives, he had played just such a managerial role: and that the quality of our experience was directly involved with how well he used that position. "It's very easy for me to do that" he replied, but the point stands. It seems the nuances of THE STORY OF O are far from alien to this campus.

Overall, the workshop was valuable if only in showing that we have at least reached the stage where some 50 odd representatives of "both sides" can take their shoes off and lie on the floor.

It's only the beginning however, as evidenced by the last question asked:

"Being way on the other side of the generation gap would you please take two minutes and explain to me what I was supposed to be aware of during this experience this afternoon?"

The bearded man in the grey chinos held fast to his microphone and smiled. "No" he said.

Times Editor Speaks

Harrison Salisbury, winner of the Pulitzer Prize and Assistant Managing Editor of The New York Times comes to Wooster on Wednesday, Feb. 9 at 10 a.m. to speak on "U.S. & China—New Partners in Asia."

Mr. Salisbury is replacing Edgar Snow who became ill and has cancelled his spring tour. The speech will be given in McGaw Chapel and is sponsored by the Cultural Events Committee.

In 1967 Mr. Salisbury made a journey to North Vietnam with the approval of the U.S. Department of State, and his report of that visit for The New York Times made front page headlines. In that same year he visited Laos, Burma, the Himalayan Indian border up to Mongolia and Siberia.

He returned to that area in 1969 making a 25,000 mile journey to the heart of the troubled zone on the Asian continent—the Sino-Soviet frontier. For the fourth time he visited Mongolia, the remote buffer state between the Communist giants.



Harrison Salisbury

MINISTER DEFINES ROLE

By Rev. William A. Morrison

It didn't take long for me to discover that the people of Westminster Church and the College community are vital, friendly, and engaged in exploring the exciting dimensions of the life and work of the people of God. Ruth joins me in thanking you for the warm welcome you have given us. We are looking forward to a happy and mutually helpful time with you.

I've discovered that some people have peculiar ideas about what an Interim Pastor is supposed to be. There are those who expect him to be an institutional witch-doctor who will probe all the sore spots, raise enough fuss to drive the devils out, and then turn over a convalescing congregation to the new Pastor. There are others who expect him to be little more than an institutional baby-sitter, keeping the lid on and the wheels moving, but taking no initiatives or any real responsibility, until a properly installed authority figure arrives on the scene.

Neither of these stereotypes fits our situation here. I won't pretend to be another Ray Swartzback, and I know that my stay is temporary. However I believe that we can work together to maintain and extend the distinctive and vital ministry of Westminster Church, and in the process learn from each other. For ministry is a here and now thing—not something just yesterday or only tomorrow. Daily we must celebrate the goodness of God's gifts, and be ready to share them—in the world where we are.

Commentary

'SO YOUR HEART BEATS TOO'

I would like to commend those students who walked, ran, and swam on last Saturday. They were indeed admirable acts for a worthy cause. Now that something has got some students standing it would be even nicer if we considered doing things, like the acts of last week, to help some student causes. We do have them you know. I speak of student causes as those concerns of students within the structure of the College of Wooster. There exist a number of organizations on campus which are dormant due to apathetic responses from students. You proved that a number of students can get together and do one thing for a cause, so don't die after this. Causes to fight for are still around. Find one and fight for it. If indeed the enthusiasm from last week has died, I know that not many people will read this article, but a few strong and struggling souls will find the time.

Let us consider a few causes that might be of interest to some still vibrant walkers of last weekend. The Student Government Association has great potential with the right followers. The leaders of S.G.A. can't lead a herd of blind apathetic sheep. They are in great need of a support community willing to do a little work. S.G.A. is also an excellent opportunity to find out where some of the money you pay here goes. For instance, the polls which you get in the mail are actually paid for by you. Some of the lecturers you don't go to are paid for by you. Now are you going to sit by and watch your money being wasted on some good for nothing program. If you say no then let me see some action behind the talk and if you say yes, well then you must consider yourself deep in apathetic meditation.

A second organization which provides an excellent target for exuberant student radicals to launch a watch dog attack on is Campus Council. Council is the organization that distributes student activity fees, among other things, to various programs and organizations to provide a liberal look for the college. Among the other things Campus Council does is consider Housing Codes. Housing codes, as you all know, have been stubbling since September. Why don't you find out the true reason why?

Finally, I hope that I was not the only person who recognized some potentials in the students who walked, ran and swam last weekend. Ask yourself why you helped raise money for the McGaw Challenge Fund and give yourself a firm and confident answer. Make sure this answer will hold up for you under fire. Begin to do things because you believe in them and not because someone else said you should believe. Wooster will never change or be progressive with apathetic conformist who do not have any sense of individuality.

Stanley E. Perdue

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letters

THE EDITOR
HOPES SOME
ONE CAN
EXPLAIN

TASTY AMERICAN PIE

Dear Mr. Thomas:

Great Article on a Great Song!

As a student here at Ohio Northern University, I managed to run across a copy of the Jan. 28 *Voice*. I was particularly interested in RODOMONTADE, concerning Don McLean's American Pie. Being a senior English major, I always enjoy picking symbols and that kind of crap from a song. Thanks for your interpretation, only you might have gone farther in explaining exactly who the devil, or Satan, are in the song. I realize

that was not the purpose of your column, but it offers future possibilities if you're ever stuck for material for a future column.

Anyway, I thought you might enjoy the opinion of someone from another campus, and it may be neat to know that your newspaper gets around. If only Northern's paper 'makes it' like yours does, I might be inclined to read it.

Thumbs up,
Dave Bloomquist

HRC REPORT CONDEMNED

The Human Relations Commissions report which was posted to all students on January 24, merely exemplifies the lack of constructive effort made in the name of racial equality. Formation of committees and discussion groups allows the participants to delegate the guilt to all concerned.

Racism is a social ill that cannot be legislated away. Particularly here, at The College of Wooster, racial attitudes must be jolted by revolution. Traditional institutions must be threatened by an external force

which has both the power and authority to instigate change. At this time in the college's history demands must be met where recommendations were here-to-fore written off as fleeting heats of passion.

Change must occur now while it still can with the least amount of anguish. Change must occur now before the present scene deteriorates irretrievably.

Rowland F. Kirks, II

Browder Explains 'Cage' Conflict;

Chastises Voice, LCB, Council

John Browder

Chrm. C.I.C. - L.C.B.

In spite of the confusion created by L.C.B., Campus Council, *Voice*, and a few concerned professors let it be clear that "The Cage," a theatrical production written and produced by parolees from San Quentin conveying the reality of prison life will be performed according to schedule on Thursday, Feb. 17.

What concerns me now is the unnecessary and inappropriate attention "The Cage" and myself personally have received from what was originally a simple request for financial assistance made by L.C.B. to Campus Council. Because I personally appear to be in the crux of this controversy I feel I must clarify the matter in its entirety.

The controversy over "The Cage" began in the Campus Council meeting of Jan. 18 when myself and other members of L.C.B. appeared to ask for funds to assist in the rather heavy burden of financing the production. From the cross-examination which ensued over the matter I was quoted by a reporter from News Service covering the meeting that "The Cage" had been contracted before President Drushal had dropped it from the proposed Symposium on Criminal Justice which was subsequently cancelled and for which "The Cage" was contracted with the understanding, at least amongst L.C.B. officials, that it would be incorporated into the Justice Symposium thus, would receive funds from President Drushal. This fact is 100% correct. "The Cage" was contracted on October 24, 1971. On November 18 Dr. Ron Hustwitt and myself were invested the responsibility to attend a showing of "The Cage" at Cuyahoga Com. College and to determine whether or not "The Cage" was suitable material for the Symposium. This responsibility was invested in us by both L.C.B. and by John Hewitt c/o President Drushal with the common understanding that if we reacted favorably to "The Cage" then it would be included in the Symposium and accordingly receive the financial assistance that L.C.B. had hoped for but ultimately had to turn to Campus Council for.

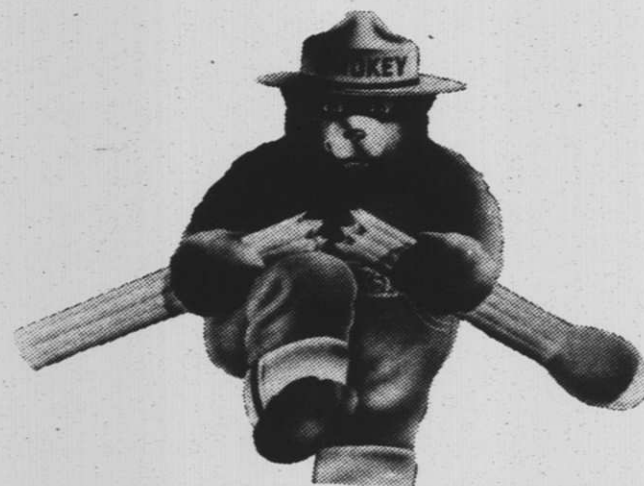
After experiencing "The Cage" both Dr. Hustwitt and I reacted favorably. The next

day I went home for Christmas vacation with the understanding that "The Cage" would be included in the Symposium budget.

When I returned to Wooster in January I was informed that President Drushal had decided that "The Cage" would not be included in the proposed Justice Symposium because it might not meet the approval of those towns-groups who were sponsoring the Symposium, one of which I understood was Critchfield, Critchfield, Critchfield and Johnston, a local law firm. Consequently the cost of "The Cage," \$1750.50 was thrown on C.I.C. - L.C.B., the budget of which, at the time, was \$600 for Second Quarter. Obviously unable to afford this and unable to break the contract we petitioned for funds from Council, ultimately receiving \$250 from them for "The Cage."

The question to be answered now that the controversy has quieted (I hope) is what does this debacle involving L.C.B., President Drushal and friends, Campus Council and *Voice* say about the relationships between each of these campus groups. It says a number of things. First, the controversy has shown that there doesn't seem to be the vital co-operation, co-ordination and general human understanding that is so necessary if these organizations are to co-function harmoniously on the same campus. Secondly, being a member of L.C.B. I feel I can legitimately object to the way certain L.C.B. officials handled the situation by assuming

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Browder Explains Conflicts

that L.C.B. can over-program beyond the limits of its budget and expect the rest of the campus to fall on its face trying to subsidize its loss. Thirdly, *Voice* has no right to print incorrect information. The fact that Mr. Hewitt was incorrect about the time "The Cage" was contracted is perhaps understandable since he is not a member of L.C.B. The fact that *Voice* automatically assumed that Mr. Hewitt's interpretation was correct is journalistically unforgivable, especially in light of the statement it made in last week's issue which reads as follows:

"*Voice* appreciates Mr. Hewitt's concern. However, the *Voice* article merely reports what actually occurred and was said during the Campus Council meeting. Consequently, any misrepresentation involves only that of Council or L.C.B."

Voice in striving to attain the truth could at least have checked up on the validity of Mr. Hewitt's interpretation read at the Council meeting instead of irresponsibly assuming that he was correct and then arrogantly defending its mistake. Fourthly, President Drushal could have taken a few minutes out of his busy schedule to contact L.C.B. officials of his arbitrary decision earlier than he finally did, in which case "The Cage"

might have been re-scheduled to co-incide with the Justice Symposium whenever it will be, and thus would have prevented the dispute from ever occurring. Finally, I think that all of these groups are trying so hard in their own way to meet the needs of an educational community that they are stepping on each other's feet and consequently generating bad feelings amongst themselves.

If there is any single theme of this article, it is my own personal plea to each of these organizations that they renew a co-operative and understanding relationship and begin co-ordinating their respective plans and opinions so that misunderstandings and conflicts can be avoided. And that we all recognize that these organizations are not insensitive, autonomous bureaucracies but rather groups of human beings who not only have human deficiencies but also feelings and pride in what they do which can be injured if the nature of their group inter-reactions become inhuman, based on competition rather than co-operation.

Finally, I hope that sincere apologies are directed to those who feel they have been unjustly implicated in the controversy and that The Cage Controversy will be forgotten so that we all can happily participate in this remarkable experience without chips on our shoulders.

Bazaar Boosts Challenge Fund

The McGaw Challenge Fund will benefit from a Lasagna Dinner and Crafts Bazaar to be held Friday, February 11, in Lowry Center.

Faculty and Administration will have an opportunity to contribute to the Challenge Fund and to see and buy craft items made by many talented Wooster people.

One item on display at the Bazaar will be a drawing by George Olson entitled "Holmes County Landmarks". Mr. Olson has donated the drawing to the Bazaar to raise money for the Challenge Fund and each person making a contribution of \$1.00 to the Fund will receive one ticket. A grand drawing will be held the night of the Bazaar. Mr. Olson has also offered a selection of drawings and prints for sale, the total proceeds to go to the McGaw Fund.

In addition to the art works, the Bazaar will include such craft items as jewelry, knitting, needlework, macrame, candles, decoupage, rugs, wall hangings, stuffed animals, and baked goods.

As the Bazaar is to be a money-making project, 30% of the sale price of each article will be retained as a consign-

ment fee. Items may also be contributed for sale and all contributions are tax deductible. There will also be a place to display handicrafts that are not for sale as well as a White Elephant booth.

Tickets for the dinner are \$2.75 plus a \$.50 contribution to the Challenge Fund. Reser-

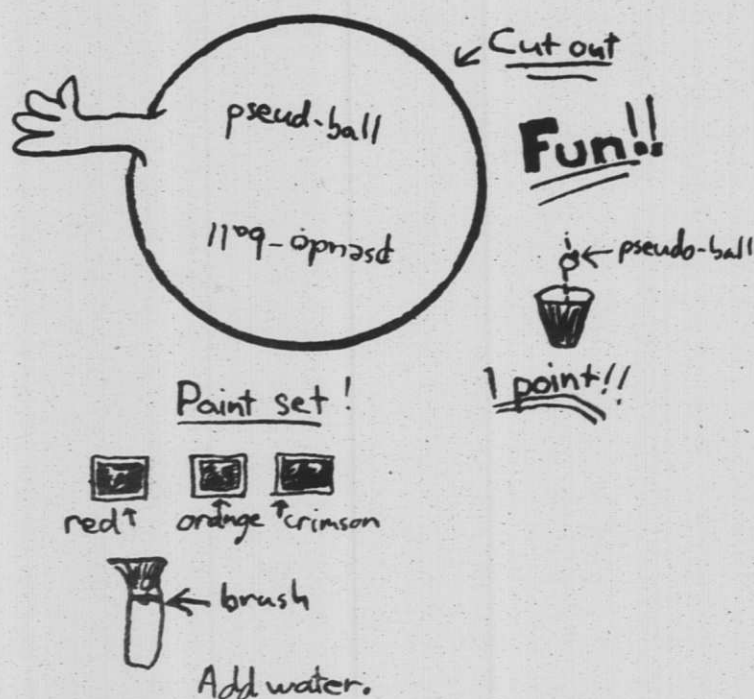
vations must be made and paid for at Lowry Center Desk by February 4. Faculty are welcome to bring guests. College Circle is organizing the Dinner and Bazaar. For further information call Mrs. Floyd Downs 264-0696 or Mrs. Byron Morris 345-7982.



by David Thomas

This is something to do! Listen to me, kids!! THIS IS BETTER THAN MUSIC!!!!
It's Fake Basketball!

Cut out the pseudo-ball below. Color it with the paint set, also below. Hold the pseudo-ball over any cup. Drop it in!! You score a point!!! Alternate turns. Game lasts for 3 hours. Highest score wins.



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Campus Council

was passed. Eighth Section's Code was passed with 10 in favor and 2 opposed after Copeland questioned the meaning of the last sentence in their racial clause. Specifically, he wanted to know if "appropriate" channels for redressing racial grievances included HRC.

LeRoy Haynes noted that in Second and Third Sections' Codes, both passed by Council, there was no mention of HRC.

After reading a memo from the Library Committee it was noted that there will be an open meeting of that body on Thursday, Feb. 15 at 4 p.m.

Dunn House's Code has not been submitted. Council Secretary Robin Stevens reported that the Code had been given by a Dunn representative

to Dean Plusquellec's secretary and can not be located. There is no other copy.

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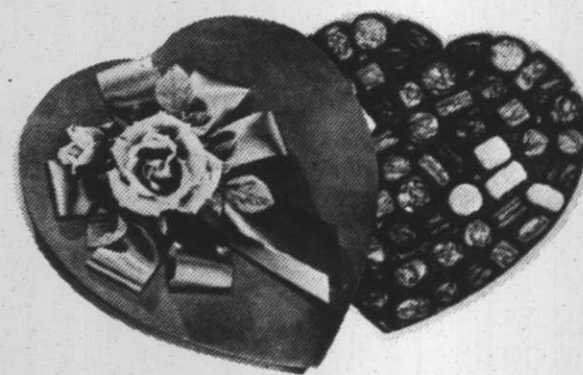
'Cage'

the role of religion behind bars; the effect of rigid institutionalization upon both inmates and guards; and the inevitable development of first offenders into hardened criminals through their treatment in many of our correctional institutions.

The members of the cast will be in different classes during the day of the performance to discuss prison life in detail. The evening performance will start at 8 pm in the chapel and admission is only 99¢ for students and \$1.50 for administration, faculty and others.

Russell Stover
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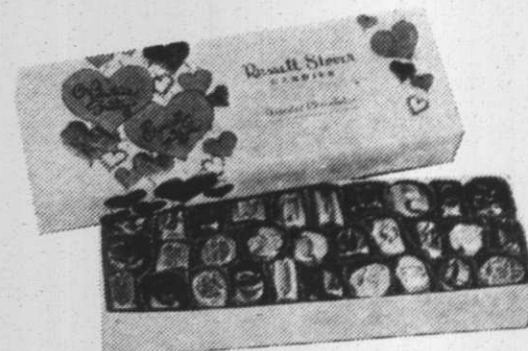
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sport speculation

Self-Control Important, Says Van Wie

By Dave Berkey
Voice Sports Editor

A great deal has been said lately about the tragic occurrences at Minneapolis last week when the basketball game between Ohio State and Minnesota erupted into mehem.

The fight, which resulted in the suspension of two Minnesota players, has been the prime topic of conversation in bars, dorms, offices and dinner tables across the country.

"THE WORST PART ABOUT IT," said an Ohio State Highway Patrolman in a Royal Castle Restaurant just off I-71 this past Tuesday, "is that the whole thing occurred out in the open, for everyone to see."

This is the unique aspect of basketball which separates it from most spectator sports in America. High School, college and pro basketball games are viewed by millions of Americans in every sector of the country, usually in a tight, closed-in, emotional setting—the home team's gym.

"The setting of a basketball game is a very emotional one," observed College of Wooster basketball coach Al Van Wie. "The fans are close to the players. They can see a player's facial expressions, his sweat, his hurt and his exultation."

"Because of this setting, fans and players alike should be educated in the proper conduct at a game," the Dutchman said.

"I'm not anti-noise, anti-enthusiasm or anti-cheering," Van Wie cautioned. "It's just a matter of self-control and a recognition of the explosiveness of the situation."

With regards to the occurrence at Minnesota in which the two Gopher players allegedly beat upon Ohio State players Luke Witte and Mark Wagar and several fans emerged from the stands and attacked Buckeye players, Van Wie commented, "That was a deplorable situation."

"Unfortunately with thousands of college basketball games played this year, that one game is the one everybody's talking about. It's too bad that such a thing reflects upon the whole game of basketball."

THE HEAD COACH AT MINNESOTA is Wooster High grad Bill Musselman, who is in his first year at the Big Ten school after several outstanding seasons at Ashland. Musselman was nationally known for his defensive teams.

The Scots used to play Ashland on a yearly basis and the Van Wie-Musselman rivalry was one of the hottest in Ohio. The Dutchman was one of the few small college coaches who used to win his share in the battle of wits against the Eagles. The Scots won the Marion Invitational over Musselman's Ashland team a year ago by a 73-70 count in double overtime.

About Musselman, Van Wie says, "This Ohio State incident is unfortunate for him. He's a young guy with a great deal of talent and the adverse publicity will mar his career."

"One thing Musselman does to foster such an explosive situation," Van Wie said, "is to create a circus-like atmosphere before the game even starts. His team warms-up with Globetrotter maneuvers and one player is there on a scholarship just because he can juggle basketballs."

"SUCH A SHOW ALONG WITH loud rock music goes a long way toward arousing the players and the fans before and

during the game.

It is said that a Musselman sign in the Gopher locker room says, "Losing is worse than dying. You have to live with defeat."

"A coach can play a big role in helping his players reach a state of emotion and mind that they would be prompted to go out and do what those Minnesota players did," Van Wie said. "It's a form of mob psychology where by demeaning the other team and attempting to intimidate the opponent a coach can get his players so worked-up that anything can happen."

Could a more-closely called game by the referees help control such a situation?

"SURELY A LOOSELY-CALLED GAME can get out of hand," answered Van Wie, "but the referees can help the most by keeping their cool and letting everyone know they're in control of the situation."

"Some refs, like Tony Pianowski who did one of our games here this year, can make everybody more relaxed by joking with the players or adding some showmanship when they make their calls."

With regards to the penalty put down by the Big Ten office, Van Wie feels it wasn't severe enough. "The administration, the athletic director, and the coach are also to blame," the Scot mentor said. "There wasn't adequate police protection nor was there a concerted effort to control the situation when it started."

"This wasn't any ordinary scuffle," Van Wie added. "Any game with as much riding on it as this one is bound to get the players up tight. Minor temper flares happen all the time."

"BUT THIS ONE CAN BE REFERRED TO AS ASSAULT AND BATTERY."

Van Wie attended the recent Capital-Wittenberg game in Springfield which took place in a much smaller gym with just as much pressure. "A small fight broke out near the end of the game," Van Wie reported, "but the coaches kept their players on the bench and the referees took control before anything major happened."

Van Wie mentioned that the National Association of Basketball Coaches is presently studying the situation of fan control and emotionalism at college games. One of the results coming from the study is that an education in self-control is what is needed.

"SELF-CONTROL IS ONE OF THE important things you teach in athletics," Van Wie said. "This involves poise to handle the variety of emotional and physical situations any athlete encounters."

This is where the concept of the student-athlete becomes so important. The Ohio Conference and Wooster in particular can speak with pride in this regard.

As far as the fans go, Van Wie has often referred to the Scot followers as the "most enthusiastic fans in the state."

"SOMETIMES, THOUGH," the coach said, "I get a little embarrassed when our fans deride the other team - like when they yell 'Who's he?' during the introduction of players."

At Wooster and in the Ohio Conference people get just as excited about basketball as any other place. But the players have that added quality of self-control and "class"—and hopefully the fans do too.

Let's also hope there won't be an instant replay of that tragedy in Minneapolis.

SPORTS THIS WEEKEND

Today—Swimming, G.L.C.A. meet at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Tomorrow—Basketball vs. Muskingum (P.E.C., 8 p.m.)

JV Basketball vs. Muskingum (P.E.C., 6:15 p.m.)

Swimming, Great Lakes Colleges meet at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Wrestling vs. Ohio Wesleyan & Hiram (P.E.C., 1 p.m.)

Indoor Track vs. Miami (at Oxford)

Women's Basketball vs. Otterbein

SPORTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday—Swimming vs. Kenyon (at Gambier)

Wednesday—Basketball vs. Marietta (P.E.C., 8 p.m.)

JV Basketball vs. Kent State (P.E.C., 6:15 p.m.)

Thursday—Women's Basketball vs. Capital (at Bexley)

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JV'S HOT

After a slow start the Fighting Scot jayvee basketball team has streaked to four straight wins. One of the keys is their tough "defense" according to jayvee coach Dave Hopkins.

"The man-to-man defense that our boys play is really stingy," the mini-Scot mentor commented. "We've given up an average of less than 61 points per game in our last five outings."

"The other key to our recent success is the overall teamwork that the boys have shown," reported Hopkins, "our offense is finally gelling."

Through the nine games there have been four players averaging ten or more points for the jayvees. Leading the pack is 6-4 center Jeff Requarth with thirteen per game; then comes Gene Schindewolf with eleven per contest. Finally there is Ed Snyder and Jay Schmidt each with approximately ten per game.

GRAPPLERS FACE HIRAM, OHIO WESLEYAN;

LAST HOME MEET TOMORROW IN PEC

by Phil Johnson

The Wooster Fighting Scot matmen return home tomorrow in the PEC after a disappointing road trip. The grapplers will host the squads from Ohio Wesleyan and Hiram in the P.E.C. at 1:00 p.m. The Bishops, the second

place team in the OAC last year, carried a 4-2 record into the contest last week when they faced Capital and Mt. Union. OWU was confronted with injuries earlier in the season which could turn out to be a major factor in the meet.

Hiram, who was fourth in the OAC last season, has five returning lettermen this year.

OAC champion Terry Abramovich took the 167 pound weight class title when only a freshman. This year as a sophomore Terry is considered by his coach to be stronger than ever.

Last Saturday the Fighting Scot wrestlers lost two tough matches at the hands of Wittenberg, 24-18, and Baldwin-Wallace, 27-17, in Berea.

Marshall Wenger, a native of Berea, lead the individual Scot victors by decisioning B-W's Les Wojciechowski, 6-0, then scoring a pin just as the second period ended over Jim Roush of Wittenberg.

Sophomore Jim Rastetter (134) also scored double victories by nailing the Yellow Jackets' Barry Miller and picking up the Witt's only forfeited class.

Freshman Malcolm Robinson earned a victory by pinning Baldwin-Wallace's 118 pounder Doug Kampfer in the second period with five seconds remaining.

Two other sophomores, Larry Sprague and Mark DiFeo, also took victories. Sprague managed a 3-0 decision win in the clash of the 167 pounders. DiFeo duplicated the 3-0 score with a decision in the 177 pound weight class battle with the Tigers' Tom Gillette.

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Sophomore sensation Wes Dumas had his hands full at Berea last weekend against two conference champions. The 150-pounder performed well with a draw and a loss.

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The Muskingum Muskies varsity and JV teams invade the PEC tomorrow night with revenge on their minds. Last year in New Concord, both Wooster teams won with the Scots varsity winning by a 90-80 margin.

The Muskies have come a long way from their basement finish in the Ohio Conference last season. Muskingum won only six of 22 games a year ago, 3-10 in the OAC, but the 1971-72 Muskies squad has turned that around.

Enroute to an 8-6 overall mark this year, 4-3 in the conference, Muskingum has been riding a little Ford. It isn't a Pinto but 5-8 sophomore guard Gene Ford who is seventh on the OAC scoring list with a 19.1 average.

FORD SET A MUSKIE record last year as the highest scoring rookie in Muskingum history. Ford's backcourt mate is junior Jim Vejsicky who is also pint-sized at 5-11.

Muskingum has good height with a pair of 6-5 forwards in Todd Brown and Gary Ferber. Barry Keim, a 6-4 junior college transfer, has added beef on the boards with his 200-pound frame. Brown is 10th on the OAC rebounding list.

The Scots come into tomorrow's contest riding a five-game winning streak for the second time this season.

Wooster took five in a row during December before dropping the finals of the Wooster Classic to Brockport State by two at the buzzer.

After starting the long string of Ohio Conference games with a victory over Baldwin-Wallace last Tuesday, the cagers stopped Kenyon Saturday, 84-74, and Oberlin this past Tuesday, 97-80.

THE KENYON CONTEST at home had its share of excitement when the clock and scoreboard failed at the start of the second half. Players and

fans alike didn't know how much time was left or the score except through PA announcements.

The game was tied 19 times and the Lords held a three point lead with 6:32 remaining. But then the Wooster scoring machine finally got in gear and rolled to 15 straight tallied to insure the victory.

Greg Bryant, the conference's leading carrom-grabber, had 17 rebounds against Kenyon and Wooster's one-two scoring punch of Mike Grenert and John Creasap each had 21.

In practice before the Oberlin game, co-captain Grenert twisted his ankle coming down

with a rebound and he was sitting on the bench when the Scots invaded Obie-land and the plush new physical education center—complete with artificial floor.

WITH MARK VOGELGESANG in Grenert's wing spot, the Scots looked invincible the first half. Wooster shot a blistering 61% from the floor, worked its offense to perfection, and went to the locker room with a 51-30 halftime bulge.

During the streak, Wooster's primary asset—bench strength—showed its colors as John Evans, Gary Franklin and Fred Nevar were shuttled in and out with the starters without losing cadence. Creasap had a low-scoring half but on defense he held the conference's leading scorer, Vic Guerrieri to five points.

The second stanza was a different story. Guerrieri became unrattled, got better screens and scored 22 points to reach his average of 27. The Obies gained confidence from their captain and pulled

within 11 at one point.

But Creasap turned to scoring again and Grenert came in for a few minutes to settle things down and the Scots had their sixth conference win without a loss.

BRYANT LED WOOSTER with 22 points and 12 rebounds. Creasap scored 20, Mike Stoll 19, Evans 11 and Vogelgesang and Nevar seven each.

After tomorrow's final Saturday home game, the Scots entertain Marietta Wednesday night while the JV's play host to Kent State

SCOTS 4-3; IMLER SETS SCHOOL MARK

The Fighting Scot swimmers travel to Kalamazoo, Mich., to participate in the Great Lakes Conference Association Championships this weekend.

The GLCA meet marks the start of what coach Tracy Hetrick terms the Scots' second season.

Wooster concluded the first

half of its season with a win over Case-Western Reserve Tuesday. The victory gave the Scots a 4-3 record in dual meet competition.

The Wooster tankers have lost to Oberlin and Denison, two conference powerhouses, and Kalamazoo. All three will be at the championships

this weekend.

In addition to Case, the Scots have downed Adrian and Capital. Their finest victory, according to Coach Hetrick, came last Saturday when they downed Baldwin-Wallace 64-55.

"I really wanted to win that one and I'm proud of the way

Co-captains Joe Cummings and Jim Cashell were the big surprises in the win.

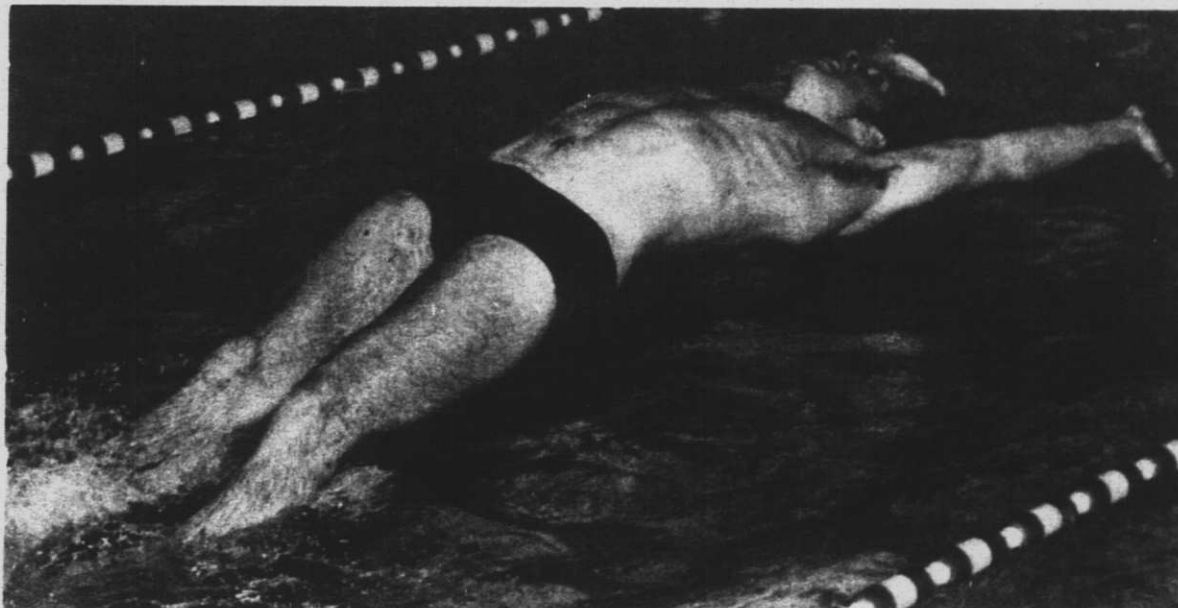
Usually a slow starter, Cummings took the 1000 yard freestyle in 11:42.1, his best time ever in the event.

Cashell, normally a butterfly specialist, took both the 50 and 100 yard freestyles. The senior currently holds the best times on the team in these events, 24.0 seconds in the 50 and 54.3 in the 100.

Hetrick had much praise for Jim Imler. The junior finally got the school record in the backstroke. He swam a 2:10.8, barely missing the pool record of 2:10.7 against Denison.

Against Baldwin-Wallace Imler won the individual medley with a new personal best of 2:18.0. Freshman Bill Deyle, recovering from the flu, recorded his best time of the season, 2:18.5.

After the GLCA's, Wooster faces some of the top competition in the conference.



Junior Jim Imler leaps back into the water on his way to a new school record in the 200-yard backstroke last week against Denison. Imler's new mark of 2:10.8 eclipsed the old record by nearly four seconds.

W.M. Takes V-Ball Regional

By Jon Harwood

Despite Wooster's best sustained efforts of the year, Michigan and Illinois teams dominated last weekend's Volleyball Regional Tournament here. Of the eight final teams, three were from Michigan, three from Illinois, and the other two from Ohio. Indiana and Wisconsin couldn't make the grade and neither could Dayton, the Ohio state champ.

Western Michigan, a superbly skilled team, won the tournament without too much trouble. Michigan teams play all year. For instance, four members of the Western Michigan squad also belong to an AAU touring team. According to their charming captain, Vicky Harwood, the ultimate goal of all four of these young ladies will be to participate in the 1976 Olympic games.

THIS TEAM CERTAINLY outclassed all the others in the tournament. Western won all three of its Friday games and its quarter and semi-final

skirmishes in straight sets and usually easily. W. M.'s one setback came in the finals against another excellent team from Michigan State.

The Spartans took the first game, 15-11, in what many people considered to be the finest display of volleyball ever exhibited in this part of the country. However, Western got fired up and toyed with State in the last two sets, 15-5, 15-5.

The Scotties did quite well and saved their best play for last. Wooster annihilated Ball State and fell in three games to Northeastern Illinois, the Illinois state champ on Friday.

ON SATURDAY, the Scotties were up against Michigan State, the eventual runner-up. Despite Michigan State's impressive spiking which the Scotties couldn't hope to match, the hometown contingent did nothing to shame themselves. They dropped the first one, 15-13. Despite this heartbreaker, the Scot-

ties bounced back to dump the Spartans, 15-10, before falling themselves, 15-10, in the clincher.

"I'd never seen us do those things so well before," was Coach Ginny Hunt's comment on those final three games.

All things considered, this was a fine year for the volleyballers. The girls played 16 regular season games and tacked on another seven in tournament play and came out the winner 18 times.

THE SQUAD, one of Miss Hunt's finest creations in her tenure here, consisted of nine players very close in ability and extremely talented: Senior captain Julie VanderWerf, seniors Denise Massa, Janet Nordstrom, and Lorrie Sprague, sophomores Annie Baird and Judy Donaldson, and freshmen Margaret Lauderdale, Cindy Sprau, and Janice Wong. The four seniors will be very difficult to replace, but Miss Hunt will probably have few problems in continuing the winning tradition next year.



Long-distance freestyling is junior Jeff Cameron's specialty but the event he swam last Saturday night isn't sanctioned by the NCAA. Cameron toured tiny Severance pool for 1,052 laps—a total of 10 miles—to earn money for the McGaw Challenge Fund and claim a new school record of four hours, 32 minutes.

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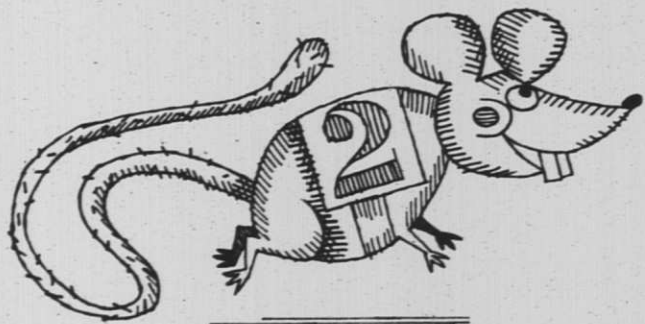
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